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THE WHOLE BLAMED FAMILY.

Who swears and rages all the day?
Who slaves for cash, the bills to pay?
Father!

Who is the angel sweet from heaven
Who works from dawn till nearly
even?
Mother!

Who smokes a pipe and cigarette?
Who's always broke and deep in debt?
Son!

Who does not wash a single dish,
Yet gets her heart's most dearest wish?
Daughter!

Who scratches at his mangy side
And then in father's bed doth hide?
Dog!

Who purrs and licks her fur so clean?
Who never with a mouse is seen?
Cat!

—Philadelphia Ledger.

COUNTY COURT.

The will of John D. Langhorne, filed and probated in the District of Columbia, was produced in court and after due examination was filed and probated.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eitel will leave Wednesday for Daytona, Fla., where they will make their future headquarters. From there they expect to visit different parts of the state. Mr. Eitel after years of business is now taking a well earned vacation. They will be absent about two months.

Our price this week for butterfat, 32 cents Maysville. Bring it in any day, any time of the day, and receive your check promptly.

MAYSVILLE MODEL CREAMERY.

Mr. Edward Barbour while playing indoor baseball Saturday morning in the High School auditorium, fell and broke his left wrist. However, he is now getting along very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Hoeflich will give a reception Saturday evening from 8 to 10 o'clock in honor of their son Robert and bride.

Mr. W. S. Wheatley of Sardis, was in Maysville Monday attending the tobacco sales.

Mr. W. P. Bowman of Vanceburg, was in this city Monday.

PLAY MANCHESTER FRIDAY.

The Maysville High School basketball team will play the Manchester High School team at the M. H. S. gymnasium Friday evening. This is the second time that these two teams have met in this city. The previous games went to the local five by a small score. The Manchester team has improved since this time and are hoping to even matters when they again meet the boys with the gold and white jerseys. The shift in the lineup after the disastrous trip down the river has made it very hard to forecast who will represent the Maysville school in the game, but Coach G. C. Mance hopes by Friday to have a five picked that will be the best the M. H. S. squad contains.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL.

The funeral of Samuel O. Porter, who died Saturday morning, was held from the residence Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. J. M. Lital of the Third Street M. E. church, of which Mr. Porter was a member, conducted the service. Interment in the Maysville cemetery. Many friends and relatives attended the funeral.

OH, THE LUCKY THING.

Mr. Newell Stickley held ticket No. 86 that drew the wristwatch that was drawn for at A. Clooney's Saturday evening. The watch was given away by the local lodge of the United Commercial Travelers in their sale of tickets for the benefit of the poor of this city.

BIDS WANTED.

The specifications and plans for the building of the M. E. church at Maysville are now in the hands of the committee and can be seen at Mr. Shell Rhodes', R. D. No. 2, Maysville, Ky. All bids must be in by February 15. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FOR SALE.

S. C. R. I. Red and Golden Laced Wyandotte Cockerels. Eggs for hatching. Satisfaction guaranteed. S. H. Mitchell, Mayslick, Ky.

Mr. Austin T. Davidson of Ripley, was in this city Monday on business.

Mr. W. J. Asbury of Mt. Olivet, was in this city Monday on business.

Euchre tonight at Eagles' Hall.

500 BILLS

In Hand of Legislative Committees At
Frankfort From State Art Com-
mission To Repeal of
Dog Tax.

Almost everything in which any minor group of the great common people could be interested has been provided for in bills introduced the first two weeks of the Kentucky General Assembly, which reconvened at Frankfort Monday, and yet only 500 of the probable thousand measures are in committee hands. The legislative gamut runs from a state art commission to repeal of the dog tax.

The dog tax, always a subject of learned debate in the lower House, may be diverted from school to agriculture at this session. After paying for the thoroughbred ewes, each with two lambs, which appear from the auditor's report to be the only kind of mutton a dog will eat, the balance to the credit of the dog tax is turned into the school fund. Former Commissioner of Agriculture J. W. Newman appeared before the House committee today to argue in favor of turning this sum into an emergency fund for the Department of Agriculture, to be used in such situations as that presented by the foot and mouth disease. The \$68,000 asked to be appropriated to pay for stock destroyed in fighting foot and mouth disease is said to be the only appropriation the Governor will stand for.

Little enough is being asked for at this session. The state board of control asks for \$100,000 for improvements at the Eastern State Hospital, and nearly as much at Lakeland, but this is so badly needed that the board decided to put it up to the administration and General Assembly, so that whatever happened, no one can blame it. A small sum for fire escapes, water plant and hospital at the Institute for Feeble Minded was asked just before the Franklin county grand jury took cognizance of conditions and directed the county attorney to inform the Governor.

Convict Labor Law.

With the anti-pass bill through the Senate, the corrupt practices act, anti-lobby and anti-trust measures, will be followed by the convict labor law, a measure placing all common carriers under the State Railroad Commission, and amendments to the revenue law, as administration measures.

Chairman Finn of the State Railroad Commission and the Governor are not at one on railroad legislation. The chairman stands by his bill to give the commission authority similar to the Interstate Commerce Commission, but he is making no headway with the bill introduced by Senator Bob Scott of Paducah, and Representative Meriwether Smith of Harrodsburg.

The Governor is keen for the new county of Stanley, which will half inclose Pike, making a perfect semicircle, with Pikeville the fixed point of the compass, which manifestly were used in drawing the boundary line that divides Pike.

The Governor takes the position that if the people want the county, it is a matter of local concern, and up to the General Assembly. He believes it will cost the state nothing, and if the new county is compelled to raise the assessment to get sufficient means to run the county, the state will profit thereby. Meantime, people of Pike county opposed to the division, say West Virginia mine operators and town site owners are financing the movement; that people from one end of the new county will have to ride through West Virginia to the county seat and cross a toll bridge owned by private parties, who also have all the public utility rights in the town site, across from Williamson, W. Va., where the new county seat is to be. Advocates of the new county charge that the financing is being done on the other side and that the people within the boundaries of the new county want it, while outside interests are opposed.

State Wide Amendment.

The state wide prohibition amendment will get its second reading in the Senate. For the first time the Senate will actually vote on the amendment that has passed the House frequently and been strangled to death by the rules committee of the upper body.

The amendment taking the State Superintendent out of the list of constitutional officers, has been killed by committee in the Senate. There remain the suffrage amendment, a workmen's compensation amendment and one permitting telephone companies to consolidate.

Railroad legislation, besides the anti-pass and Finn bills, require paying of wages semi-monthly and limit the length of trains and require cabooses.

Mining laws require all foremen to be examined and regulate the weighing of coal, on which mine wages are based, and the division of coal mined on a royalty basis.

Liquor regulation goes to the extent

of removing screens from saloons, requiring \$1,000 bond with state license, both forfeitable for violations by suit in the Franklin Circuit Court; declaring saloons violating laws nuisances; making second offense against local option laws felony; and limiting the amount of liquor that can be shipped to any one person in dry territory.

GIVEN \$25 AND COSTS.

Monday afternoon in Police Court James Penn, Charles Lee, William Barber and Norman Epps were fined \$25 and costs on the charge of gambling. These are the negroes who were arrested by Officers Tolle, Bloomhuff and Throckmorton several days ago in a raid on Norman Epps' home in Morrison alley. When arrested the men were engaged in a game of poker, saying that they were only playing for the love of the game. However, it was shown in the trial that money was used to make the game interesting. Rather than pay the fine they decided to work out their sentence on the city streets.

A birthday party in honor of the friends of the City Mission will be given by the board of managers at the headquarters at 113 Sutton street, on Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. All are invited to be present and bring with you the equivalent of your age in pennies. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. James Seeley, the popular tonorial artist of the New Central Hotel barber shop, was a business visitor in Cincinnati Monday.

The condition of Mrs. James M. Woods is somewhat improved after a serious illness at her home on Forest avenue.

Mrs. Amanda C. Wood and daughter, Mrs. J. F. Fansler, are visiting relatives and friends at Newport and Norwood.

Dr. Maurice Waller of East Third street, was removed to Hayswood Hospital Monday for treatment.

Judge J. M. Lee of Vanceburg, was in this city Monday on legal business.

Mr. W. W. Perry of Fleming county, was in this city Monday on business.

Mr. J. E. Kearns of Paris, was in this city Monday on business.

MARRIAGES

Mitchell-Tilton.
Monday afternoon County Clerk Owens issued a marriage license to Lafayette H. Tilton, 21, and Miss Amanda M. Mitchell, 21, both of Mason county. The couple was married Tuesday in this city.

Abbott-Ralston.
Tuesday afternoon County Judge W. H. Rice married Wiley Ralston, 23, and Miss Florence Abbott, 21, both of West Union, O. After the ceremony the couple returned to the home in Adams county.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

Monday afternoon while unloading his tobacco at the Central warehouse, Mr. W. E. Ward of the county, had the misfortune to dislocate his shoulder. He was taken to the office of Dr. P. G. Smoot, where the injured shoulder was set in position. He is resting easily this morning.

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Miss Stella Arehdeacon of this city, is visiting friends in Columbus, O. Messrs. Clayton and James S. Peacor spent Monday in Cincinnati.

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Take away that dizzy feeling.
Keep the Liver, Stomach and Bowels in good condition?

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\$22.50 and \$25 Overcoats now \$20

\$16.50 and \$18 Overcoats now \$15

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RE-REINFORCED ARM-HOLES—Every DOVE garment which has an open arm-hole (like corset covers, combinations, chemises, etc.) has an extra shield sewn at the arm-holes as a reinforcement. This prevents wearing out at that point. It is an exclusive feature which you get only in DOVE Undermuslins.

Isabelle Drawer

This is an open circular drawer, combining a short skirt and drawer—cut in one piece. It fits the hips smoothly, is snug at the waist and drapes gracefully.

The return to full skirt styles has increased the demand for this comfortable and dainty garment. Made of the softest longcloth, with ruffle of lace or embroidery. Price 50c.

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Handsome 56-inch wide \$2 Coatings for \$1.25. A fine quality worth \$3, now \$2.00.
Black 56-inch Serge 75c formerly \$1.00.
Black Striped Poplin, 40 inches wide, 50c, formerly \$1.00.

Mrs. R. L. Wood of Cleveland, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary B. Griffith of East Front street.

Mr. William Trouts, Jr., entertained a number of friends with a dinner at the Central on Sunday.

Mrs. R. N. Hoeflich and Miss Mary E. Hoeflich are visiting at Waverly, Illinois.

Mrs. A. C. Respass of Lexington, is visiting Mrs. D. E. Fee and Miss Rogers.

A BIRD STORY

Once upon a time the birds got together to elect a King.

A venerable old Owl was Chairman of the Bird Congress. There was a great deal of commotion and much chattering. At last a long legged Crane got up and offered this resolution which was unanimously carried: "Resolved, That the bird which can fly the highest shall be our King."

Then all the birds, the eagles, the buzzards, hawks, blackbirds and bullfinches flashed up into the sky. One by one they tired and dropped down, except the eagle, who flew up higher than the others, and said, "Ladies and Gentlemen, I am King."

Just then a little wren popped up from the back of the eagle's head, where he had slipped in among the feathers for a free passage as a regular little dead head, and he said, "Not a bit of it, Sir Eagle, I am higher than you."

There are many larger stores in Kentucky than Merz Bros., and we may compare in size to them like the wren to the eagle, but when it comes to LOW PRICES we are KINGS.

MERZ BROS.

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Can you find any excuse for going elsewhere?

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MIKE BROWN

"THE SQUARE DEAL MAN"

Don't forget that the same tickets are good for the second drawing on Washington's Birthday. Maybe you'll be lucky enough to get the Maxwell.

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